IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE.

In re Application of:

Timothy C. Thompson

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METHODS FOR THE TREATMENT OF NEOPLASTIC DISORDERS WITH ANTI-CAVEOLIN AGENTS

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF JANUARY 30, 2009

VIA EFS-WEB

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Sir:

This paper is filed in response to an Office Action of January 30, 2009, the due date for response to which was April 30, 2009. The Commissioner is requested to consider this a petition for a two month extension of time, extending the due date to June 30, 2009. Authorization to charge the requisite fee of \$230.00 for the two month extension is being submitted electronically. No further fees are believed to be due with the filing of this response, however, should any fees be deemed to be due for any reason, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct the required fees from Vinson & Elkins L.L.P. Deposit Account No. 22-0365/PRO025/4-9CONUS/67000.